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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the non-final Official Action (Paper No. 6) mailed on November 24, 1999, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, line 9, change "Hitherto, there is known a" to -A--; and after "device", insert --is known--.

Page 1, line 13, change "etc." to --and so forth--.

Page 1, line 20, before "quartz", insert --a--; and change "etc." to --and so forth--.

Page 2, line 3, change "W" to --tungsten (W)

Page 2, line 10, change "Ti" to --titanium (Ti)--.

Page 3, line 7, before "quartz", insert --a--.

Page 3, line 8, change "(second" to --(i.e., a second--.

NE Page 3, line 9, change "DOPOS (" to --DOPOS in which--.

Page 3, line 10, delete ")".

Page 3, line 17, change "Al" to --aluminum (Al)+-.

Page 3, line 19, after "under", insert --or beneath--.

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